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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**MS AMENDMENT**

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated April 19, 2007 for which a one month extension request is being filed herewith to extend the period for response from July 19, 2007 to August 20, 2007 (August 19<sup>th</sup> was on Sunday).